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Group Art Unit: 2879  
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Title: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DETECTING  
RADIATION INCORPORATING A HARDENED  
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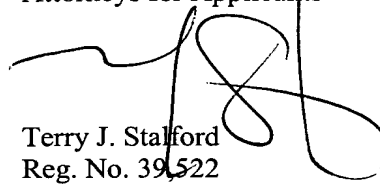
Please advise the status of the above-identified patent application. A Notice of Allowability was mailed September 25, 2003. Also in September 2003, Applicants were advised by Examiner Joseph L. Williams that the above-identified patent application was in License and Review awaiting a final review before issuance of the Notice of Allowance. On December 2, 2003, Examiner Williams further confirmed that the application still remains in License and Review. Applicants are currently awaiting a Notice of Allowance.

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